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| I. (a) PLAINTIFFS | | | | DEFENDANTS | | | | | | |
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| JEFFREY J BERNHARDT | | | | COUNTY OF ERIE, DEPUTY JOHN DUNN, DEPUTY PAUL REED, | | | | | | |
| (b) County of Residence of First Listed Plaintiff ERIE | | | | DEPUTY KENNETH P ACHTYL County of Residence of First Listed Defendant ERIE | | | | | | |
| (b) County of Residence of First Listed Plaintiff ERIE (EXCEPT IN U.S. PLAINTIFF CASES) | | | | County of Residence of First Listed Defendant ERIE (IN U.S. PLAINTIFF CASES ONLY) | | | | | | |
| | | | | NOTE: IN LAND CONDEMNATION CASES, USE THE LOCATION OF THE TRACT OF LAND INVOLVED. | | | | | | |
| (c) Attorneys (Firm Name, Address, and Telephone Number) Emily F. Janicz, Esq | | | | Attorneys (If Known) Anthony B. Targia, Esq. | | | | | | |
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| II. BASIS OF JURISD | ICTION (Place an "X" in C | ne Box Only) | | TIZENSHIP OF P | RINCIPA | L PARTIES | | | | |
| ☐ 1 U.S. Government Plaintiff | 3 Federal Question (U.S. Government Not a Party) | | 2000000000 | (For Diversity Cases Only) PTF DEF Citizen of This State **1 | | | | | | |
| ☐ 2 U.S. Government Defendant | 4 Diversity (Indicate Citizenship of Parties in Item III) | | | Citizen of Another State 2 2 Incorporated and Principal Place of Business In Another State 5 5 5 | | | | | | |
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| IV. NATURE OF SUIT | | Click here for: Nature of Suit Code Descriptions. | | | | | | | | |
| CONTRACT 110 Insurance | PERSONAL INJURY | ORTS PERSONAL INJUR | | DRFEITURE/PENALTY 5 Drug Related Seizure | 1 | KRUPTCY | OTHER: | | ES | |
| ☐ 120 Marine ☐ 130 Miller Act | ☐ 310 Airplane ☐ 315 Airplane Product | ☐ 365 Personal Injury - Product Liability | | of Property 21 USC 881 | | ☐ 422 Appeal 28 USC 158 ☐ 423 Withdrawal 28 USC 157 | | ☐ 376 Qui Tam (31 USC 3729(a)) | | |
| ☐ 140 Negotiable Instrument☐ 150 Recovery of Overpayment | Liability 320 Assault, Libel & | ☐ 367 Health Care/ Pharmaceutical | | | PROPER | TY RIGHTS | ☐ 400 State Reapportionment ☐ 410 Antitrust | | nent | |
| & Enforcement of Judgment 151 Medicare Act | Slander 330 Federal Employers' | Personal Injury Product Liability | | | ☐ 820 Copyrights ☐ 830 Patent | | ☐ 430 Banks and Banking☐ 450 Commerce | | g | |
| ☐ 152 Recovery of Defaulted | overy of Defaulted ent Loans | | | | ☐ 835 Patent - Abbreviated New Drug Application ☐ 840 Trademark | | ☐ 460 Deportation ☐ 470 Racketeer Influenced and Corrupt Organizations | | | |
| (Excludes Veterans) | | | | | | | | | | |
| ☐ 153 Recovery of Overpayment of Veteran's Benefits | Liability 350 Motor Vehicle | PERSONAL PROPER 370 Other Fraud | | LABOR 0 Fair Labor Standards | SOCIAL 861 HIA (| SECURITY 1395ff) | ☐ 480 Consum ☐ 485 Telephor | | ner | |
| ☐ 160 Stockholders' Suits☐ 190 Other Contract | holders' Suits 🔲 355 Motor Vehicle 🖂 371 Truth in Lendin | | | Act | ☐ 862 Black | nck Lung (923) Protection Act | | | | |
| ☐ 195 Contract Product Liability | ☐ 360 Other Personal | Property Damage | 1000 | 0 Labor/Management Relations | ☐ 864 SSID | | ☐ 850 Securitie | | dities/ | |
| ☐ 196 Franchise | Injury 362 Personal Injury - | ☐ 385 Property Damage Product Liability | | Railway Labor Act Family and Medical | □ 865 RSI (4 | 405(g)) | Exchang 890 Other Sta | | tions | |
| REAL PROPERTY | Medical Malpractice CIVIL RIGHTS | PRISONER PETITION | | Leave Act | FEDERA | I TAV OUTC | ☐ 891 Agricult | ural Acts | | |
| ☐ 210 Land Condemnation | ★ 440 Other Civil Rights | Habeas Corpus: | | 0 Other Labor Litigation 1 Employee Retirement | | L TAX SUITS (U.S. Plaintiff | ☐ 893 Environi ☐ 895 Freedom | | | |
| ☐ 220 Foreclosure ☐ 230 Rent Lease & Ejectment | ☐ 441 Voting ☐ 463 Alien Deta & Ejectment ☐ 442 Employment ☐ 510 Motions to | | . | Income Security Act | or Defendant) ☐ 871 IRS—Third Party | | Act 896 Arbitration | | | |
| ☐ 240 Torts to Land ☐ 245 Tort Product Liability | ☐ 443 Housing/ | Sentence | | | | SC 7609 | ☐ 899 Adminis | trative Pro | | |
| 290 All Other Real Property | Accommodations 3 445 Amer. w/Disabilities - | ☐ 530 General ☐ 535 Death Penalty | | IMMIGRATION | | | Act/Revi | iew or App Decision | peal of | |
| | Employment 446 Amer. w/Disabilities - | Other: 540 Mandamus & Other | er | 2 Naturalization Application 5 Other Immigration | | | ☐ 950 Constitu State Sta | | f | |
| | Other 448 Education | ☐ 550 Civil Rights ☐ 555 Prison Condition | | Actions | | |) State Oil | nutes | | |
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| | | Conditions of Confinement | | | | | | | | |
| V. ORIGIN (Place an "X" is | | • | 277,000 | | | | | | | |
| ☐ 1 Original Proceeding Sta | moved from | Remanded from Appellate Court | J 4 Reins Reop | 1 | er District | ☐ 6 Multidistr Litigation Transfer | - | Multidis Litigatio Direct Fi | n - | |
| | Cite the U.S. Civil Sta 42 USC Section | tute under which you ar | re filing (L | Oo not cite jurisdictional stat | | versity): | | | | |
| VI. CAUSE OF ACTION | Brief description of ca | iuse: | claim of | f violation of civil righ | nts | | | | | |
| VII. REQUESTED IN COMPLAINT: | | IS A CLASS ACTION | | EMAND \$ | Cl | HECK YES only URY DEMAND: | | complain | nt: | |
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